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SUBJ: ANGOLA IN ZAIRIAN PRESS: AMIN REJECTS LUSAKA EFFORTS.

RZU: A) KINSHASA 8521 B) KINSHASA TVR565

1. FOLLOWING ITEMS WERE REPORTED BY OFFICIAL ZAIRIAN NEWAGENCY  
(AZAP) SEPTEMBER 24:

2. IN STATEMENT TO PRESS ON ARRIVAL KINSHASA SEPTEMBER 23, UGANDAN  
PRESIDENT IDI AMIN CONDEMNED INITIATIVE TAKEN BY CHIEFS OF STATE  
OF ZAMBIA, TANZANIA, MOZAMBIQUE AND BOTSWANA AND BY GOVERNMENT  
OF CONGO TO SEND EMMISARIES TO KINSHASA, LUANDA AND LISBON TO  
DISCUSS ANGOLAN PROBLEM  
(REF "A). SPEAKING AS OAU PRESIDENT , AMIN SAID LUSAKA MEETING NOT  
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IN CONFORMITY WITH SPIRIT OF LAST OAU SUMMIT, AIMED RATHER

AT CREATING DIVISIONS IN AFRICA. IN HIS VIEW, THAT APPROACH RISKS CAUSING CONFUSION, GIVEN FACT THAT KAMPALA SUMMIT ENVISIONED ESTABLISHMENT OF 9-NATION RECONCILIATION COMMITTEE

ON ANGOLA WHOSE MEMBERS WILL SOON MEET AT KAMPALA. AMIN SAID HE HAD COME TO KINSHASA ON EVE OF THIS MEETING TO DISCUSS ANGOLA PROBLEM WITH PRESIDENT MOBUTU IN HOPE OF FINDING A COMPROMISE. AMIN ALSO APPEALED TO LEADERS OF ANGOLA'S THREE LIBERATION MOVEMENTS TO FIND PEACEFUL SOLUTION TO THEIR DIFFERENCES BEFORE NOVEMBER 11. AMIN WAS ACCOMPANIED BY OAU ASSISTANT SECRETARIES GENERAL KAMANDA AND NOUREDINE.

3. VOICE OF ZAIRE NOON NEWCAST SEPTEMBER 24 REPORTED THAT AMIN ON DEPARTING KINSHASA SAME DATE SAID HIS MEETINGS WITH MOBUTU AND REPRESENTATIVES OF UNITA AND FNLA HAD BEEN FRUITFUL, AND THAT PROSPECTS WERE GOOD FOR USEFUL MEETING WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF ALL THREE MOVEMENTS AT KAMPALA SEPTEMBER 30.

4. IN TELEGRAM SENT PORTUGUESE HIGH COMMISSIONER COMMODORE LEONEL CARDOSO SEPTEMBER 23, FNLA NOTED SYSTEMATIC OVERFLIGHTS OF ALNA POSITIONS BY PORTUGUESE MILITARY AIRCRAFT. TERMED THESE OVERFLIGHTS "INADMISSIBLE" AND WARNED THAT, IN FUTURE, ANY AIRCRAFT OVERFLYING THEIR POSITIONS WOULD BE SHOT DOWN WITHOUT WARNING. SAID THIS DECISION WAS SIMPLE MILITARY PREVENTIVE MEASURE, NOT TO BE INTERPRETED AS DESIRE BY FNLA TO PROVOKE HOSTILITIES WITH PORTUGUESE ARMY.

5. REPORT DETELED LISBON (ANGOLA) SEPTEMBER 24 QUOTED FNLA PRESIDENT HOLDEN ROBERTO AS SAYING HE DID NOT FORESEE FNLA'S SIGNING AN ACCORD WITH MPLA. INTERVIEWED IN REGION OF CAXITO, WHERE HE WAS SUPERVISING MILITARY OPERATIONS, HOLDEN SAID WAR WOULD BE CONTINUED UNTIL ENEMY COLLAPSED. ON SUBJECT OF SOVIET AID TO MPLA, HOLDEN SAID HIS FORCES HAD CAPTURED "ARMORED VEHICLES OF SOVIET MANUFACTURE, DRIVEN BY WHITES WITH SOVIET CHARACTERISTICS". ADDED THAT PRISONERS TAKEN ALSO INCLUDE SOME FROM THOSE AFRICAN COUNTRIES NAMED EARLIER BY JOHNNY EDUARDO PINNOCK (REF "B"). SAID MUCH-FEARED MPLA MISSILES HAD NOT PROVED EFFECTIVE; THAT, THOUGH MPLA IS BETTER ARMED, RESULTS HAVE BEEN "INVERSE".

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6. AZAP SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT JUST RETURNED FROM CAXITO PLACED AT 5 THE NUMBER OF SOVIET ARMORED VEHICLES CAPTURED IN BATTLE FOR CAXITO. SAID FNLA-MPLA NEGOTIATIONS OUT OF QUESTION. QUOTED UNIDENTIFIED FNLA SOURCE AS SAYING "THE STRUGGLE WILL CONTINUE TO THE LAST BULLET".  
WALKER

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